

Immersive Imaging Workshop



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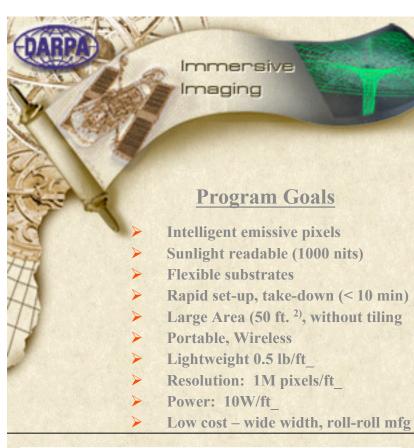
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- Simulate actual SOF mission profiles
 - include sights and sounds

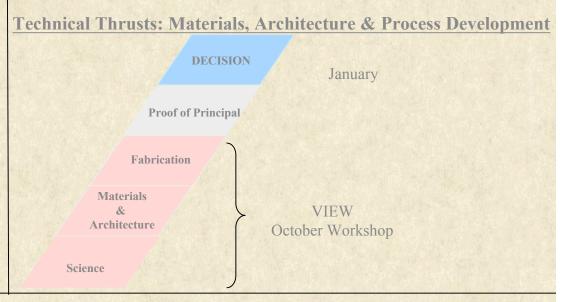
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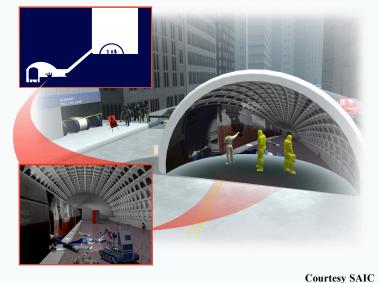


Program Goals

- Intelligent emissive pixels (nodes on a network)
- > Sunlight readable (1000 nits)
- > Flexible substrates
- > Rapid set-up, take-down (< 10 min)
- Large Area (50 ft. 2), without tiling
- > Portable, Wireless
- ➤ Lightweight 0.5 lb/ft
- > Resolution: 1M pixels/ft_
- Power: 10W/ft_
- Low cost wide width, roll-roll mfg

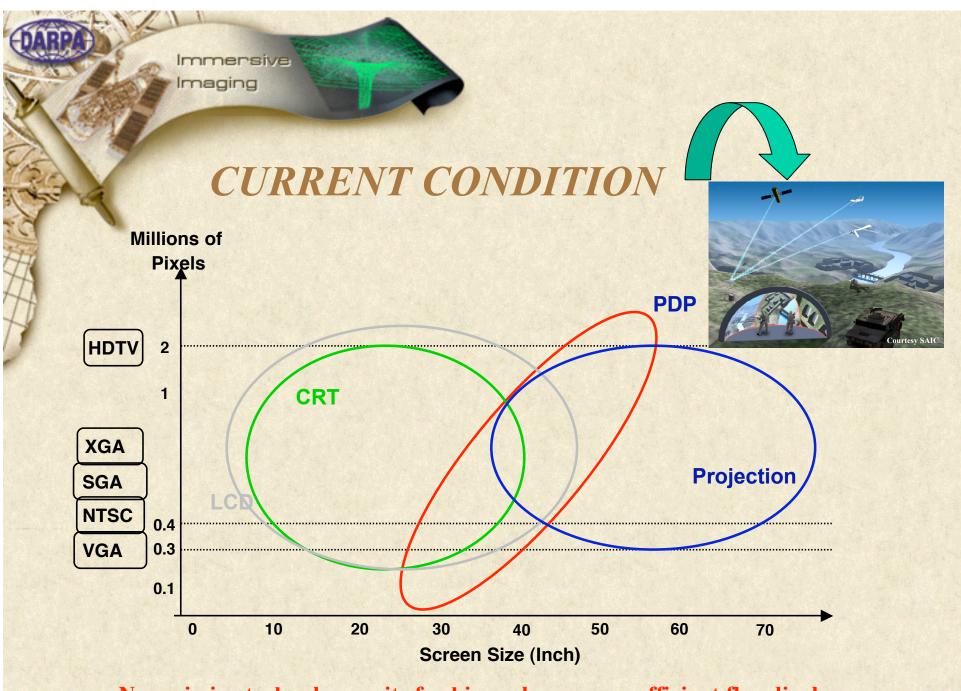






Military / Homeland Security Impact

- Site specific, rapid setup event rehearsals
 - Mission planning
 - Exploit Near Real Time Actual Operations Video
 - Portable, on-site flight simulators
- > HAZMAT Event Rehearsal
 - ***** First responders
- > Real-time, reach-back teleimmersion cones
 - **Collaboration approaching reality**



No emissive technology exits for hi-res, large area, efficient flex displays